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(54) Vertically-aligned (VA) liquid crystal display device

(57) A vertically alignment mode liquid crystal display device having an improved viewing angle characteristic is disclosed. The disclosed liquid crystal display device uses a liquid crystal having a negative anisotropic dielectric constant, and orientations of the liquid crystal are vertical to substrates (12,13) when no voltage being applied, almost horizontal when a predeter-

mined voltage is applied, and oblique when an intermediate voltage is applied. At least one of the substrates includes a structure (20) as domain regulating means, and inclined surfaces of the structure operate as a trigger to regulate azimuths of the oblique orientations of the liquid crystal when the intermediate voltage is applied.

